

SITE NAME:	Knauf Fiberglass
SITE NUMBER:	0000069
ADDRESS:	240 Elizabeth Street
CITY:	Shelbyville
COUNTY:	Shelby
SCORE:	17.85
SCORE DATE:	March 1994
CONTAMINANT TYPE:	Solvents
MEDIA AFFECTED:	Groundwater and Surface Water
CONTACT PERSON:	Ken Gill at (317) 233-0404
LAST REVISED:	September 2002
<a href="#">SITE PHOTO</a>	
<p>STATUS: The Knauf site was discovered during the investigation into the Shelbyville Wellfield contamination in late the 1980s. The Knauf Fiberglass Plant was one of the suspected sources for the contamination found in the municipal production wells.</p> <p>Knauf Fiberglass consists of two separate sites on opposite sides of the Little Blue River in Shelbyville. The site consists of a landfill and a former lagoon. The landfill has been covered and seeded and the lagoon was filled with an unknown material and covered with gravel to serve as a parking lot. Across the Little Blue River, located northeast of the Knauf site is another landfill owned by Knauf. The Knauf #2 site covers approximately 30 acres of land and includes a covered, inactive landfill of approximately 20 acres.</p> <p>The only problem found was a limited area of groundwater contamination beneath part of one of their buildings. This is thought to be of an off-site origin. IDEM is satisfied that the activities of Knauf Fiberglass did not result in contamination. IDEM is pursuing the cleanup of the groundwater problem with another party.</p>	